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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6692

BILL NUMBER: SB 296

DATE PREPARED: Dec 14, 2000

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Developmentally Disabled and Criminal Justice Study.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: ☒ **GENERAL**
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

STATE IMPACT	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
State Revenues			
State Expenditures		250,000	250,000
Net Increase (Decrease)		(250,000)	(250,000)

Summary of Legislation: This bill requires the Office of the Secretary of Family and Social Services to contract with an individual or a public or private organization to conduct a study of individuals with developmental disabilities who are involved in the Indiana criminal justice system. The bill specifies information that must be included in the study. The bill also requires the Office to report on the study to the Indiana Commission on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities not later than September 1, 2003. The bill appropriates \$500,000 beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003, to conduct the study.

Effective Date: July 1, 2001.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill appropriates \$500,000 for the biennium to enable the Office of the Secretary of the Family and Social Services Administration to contract for a study of individuals with developmental disabilities who are involved in the criminal justice system. Money appropriated by this bill does not revert to the state General Fund until July 1, 2003.

The study is required to identify individuals with developmental disabilities who are incarcerated in county jails, State correctional facilities, juvenile detention facilities, community corrections, probation, and parole. The bill requires that the study identify the developmentally disabled individuals within a population of over 166,000 inmates, probationers, and parolees. The results of the study are to be presented to the Commission

on Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities by September 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: Family and Social Services Administration, Department of Corrections.

Local Agencies Affected: County Jails, Probation Departments, and Juvenile Detention Facilities.

Information Sources: “1999-2 Jail Inspection Report”, Department of Corrections. “1999 Probation Report”, Division of State Court Administration of the Indiana Supreme Court. Indiana Department of Corrections Web Page at <http://www.state.in.us/indcorrection/statistics/statistics.html>.